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A BILL

- FOR AN ACT relating to the Motor Vehicle Operator's License Act; to
 amend sections 60-462, 60-479, and 60-484, Revised
 Statutes Supplement, 2003; to provide for Selective
 Service registration with applications as prescribed; to
 harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original
 sections.
- 7 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. Section 60-462, Revised Statutes Supplement,

- 2 2003, is amended to read:
- 3 60-462. Sections 60-462 to 60-4,188 and section 2 of
- 4 this act shall be known and may be cited as the Motor Vehicle
- 5 Operator's License Act.
- 6 Sec. 2. (1) Any male applicant who applies for an
- 7 operator's license or state identification card and who is at least
- 8 eighteen years of age but less than twenty-six years of age shall
- 9 be registered in compliance with the requirements of Section 3 of
- 10 the Military Selective Service Act, 50 U.S.C. App. section 453.
- 11 (2) The Department of Motor Vehicles shall forward in an
- 12 electronic format the necessary personal information of such
- 13 applicants to the United States Selective Service System. The
- 14 applications for operator's licenses and state identification cards
- 15 shall include the following statement: By submitting this
- 16 application, I am consenting to registration with the United States
- 17 Selective Service System, if so required by federal law. If under
- 18 age 18, I understand that I will be registered as required by
- 19 federal law when I attain age 18. The applicant's signature on the
- 20 application shall authorize the department to forward to the United
- 21 States Selective Service System the necessary information for such
- 22 registration.
- Sec. 3. Section 60-479, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 24 2003, is amended to read:
- 25 60-479. Sections 60-480 to 60-4,111.01 and 60-4,182 to
- 26 60-4,188 and section 2 of this act shall apply to any operator's
- 27 license subject to the Motor Vehicle Operator's License Act.
- 28 Sec. 4. Section 60-484, Revised Statutes Supplement,

- 1 2003, is amended to read:
- 2 60-484. (1) Except as otherwise provided in the Motor
- 3 Vehicle Operator's License Act, no resident of the State of
- 4 Nebraska shall operate a motor vehicle upon the alleys or highways
- 5 of the State of Nebraska until the person has obtained an
- 6 operator's license for that purpose.
- 7 (2) Application for an operator's license may be made on
- 8 uniform blanks prepared and furnished by the director to the county
- 9 treasurers and the examiners of the Department of Motor Vehicles
- 10 prior to January 1, 2003. Such application may be made to an
- 11 examiner in any county. The standard application blanks shall be
- 12 sufficient in form and content to substantially carry out the
- 13 purposes of the act.
- 14 (3) Beginning October 1, 2000, application for an
- 15 operator's license may also be made in a manner prescribed by the
- 16 department. Such application may be made to an examiner in any
- 17 county. The examiner shall personally conduct the examination of
- 18 the applicant and deliver to each successful applicant a
- 19 examiner's certificate containing the statements made pursuant to
- 20 subsection (4) of this section.
- 21 (4) In addition to any other information and questions
- 22 necessary to comply with the requirements and purposes of the act,
- 23 the applicant (a) shall provide his or her name, age, post office
- 24 address, place of residence unless the applicant is a program
- 25 participant under the Address Confidentiality Act, date of birth,
- 26 sex, social security number, and brief description of himself or
- 27 herself, (b) may complete the voter registration portion pursuant
- 28 to section 32-308, (c) shall be provided the advisement language

1 required by subsection (10) of section 60-6,197, (d) shall answer

- 2 the following:
- 3 (i) Have you within the last three months (e.g. due to
- 4 diabetes, epilepsy, mental illness, head injury, stroke, heart
- 5 condition, neurological disease, etc.):
- 6 (A) lost voluntary control or consciousness ... yes ...
- 7 no
- 8 (B) experienced vertigo or multiple episodes of dizziness
- 9 or fainting ... yes ... no
- 10 (C) experienced disorientation ... yes ... no
- 11 (D) experienced seizures ... yes ... no
- 12 (E) experienced impairment of memory, memory loss ... yes
- 13 ... no
- 14 Please explain:
- 15 (ii) Do you experience any condition which affects your
- 16 ability to operate a motor vehicle? (e.g. due to loss of, or
- 17 impairment of, foot, leg, hand, arm; neurological or neuromuscular
- 18 disease, etc.) ... yes ... no
- 19 Please explain:
- 20 (iii) Since the issuance of your last driver's
- 21 license/permit has your health or medical condition changed or
- 22 worsened? ... yes ... no
- 23 Please explain, including how the above affects your ability to
- 24 drive:
- 25,
- 26 and (e) may answer the following:
- 27 (i) Do you wish to register to vote as part of this
- 28 application process?

1 OPTIONAL - YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED TO ANSWER ANY OF THE FOLLOWING

- 2 QUESTIONS:
- 3 (ii) Do you wish to be an organ and tissue donor?
- 4 (iii) Do you wish to receive any additional specific
- 5 information regarding organ and tissue donation?
- 6 (iv) Do you wish to donate \$1 to promote the Organ and
- 7 Tissue Donor Awareness and Education Fund?
- 8 (5) Application for an operator's license shall be made
- 9 under oath or affirmation of the applicant.
- 10 (6) The social security number shall not be printed on
- 11 the operator's license and shall be used only (a) to furnish driver
- 12 record information to the United States Selective Service System
- 13 under section 60-483 and section 2 of this act, (b) with the
- 14 permission of the director in connection with the verification of
- 15 the status of an individual's driving record in this state or any
- 16 other state, or (c) for purposes of child support enforcement
- 17 pursuant to section 42-358.08 or 43-512.06.
- 18 (7)(a) Except for an individual under the age of eighteen
- 19 years, each individual applying for an operator's license or a
- 20 state identification card shall furnish proof of date of birth and
- 21 identity by a valid Nebraska operator's license, a valid Nebraska
- 22 learner's permit, a valid Nebraska school permit, a valid
- 23 operator's license from another state or jurisdiction of the United
- 24 States, a certified birth certificate, a certified birth
- 25 registration, a valid United States passport, a valid United States
- 26 military identification card, United States military discharge
- 27 papers, other United States-based identification as approved by the
- 28 director, or information preserved in the digital system

- 1 implemented under section 60-484.01.
- 2 (b) Any individual under the age of eighteen years
- 3 applying for an operator's license or a state identification card
- 4 shall provide a certified copy of his or her birth certificate, a
- 5 certified birth registration, or other reliable proof of his or her
- 6 identity and age accompanied by a certification signed by a parent
- 7 or guardian explaining the inability to produce a copy of such
- 8 birth certificate. The applicant may be required to furnish proof
- 9 to the examiner that the parent or guardian signing the
- 10 certification is in fact the parent or guardian of such applicant.
- 11 Sec. 5. Original sections 60-462, 60-479, and 60-484,
- 12 Revised Statutes Supplement, 2003, are repealed.